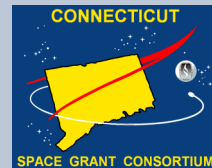


Space Weekend 2013

April 6th, 7th & 8th

sponsored by: Connecticut Space Grant Consortium



CT Science Center

NASA Space Day, Saturday April 6th
www.ctsciencecenter.org/

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Explore Space: Examine the moon's ancient craters, take control of the world's first Mars Flyover and venture to a Black Hole in the United Technologies Exploring Space Gallery.

Space Systems Engineer, Ed O'Connor: Space Systems Engineer Ed O'Connor will share his stories and experiences about working on various space programs.

LIVE Science Demonstrations: Nanotechnology and Space **Story Time:** Enjoy Dr. Seuss space stories. Perfect for aspiring astronauts 6 and under. **Miniature Space Suit:** View this rare space suit replica on loan from NASA for the day. **Coloring Activities:** How would you design a space suit? Check out the different components needed and then color your own!

Discovery Museum and Planetarium

Space Day
Saturday April 6th
www.discoverymuseum.org



Free admission to the museum!
Extra planetarium shows to be scheduled.
Westport Astronomical Society
Activities include rocket launches, solar telescope viewings, high altitude tethered balloon testing in Norwalk, CT to be commanded from the museum in Bridgeport, CT.

Eastern Connecticut State University

SPACE DAY ACTIVITIES!

Monday, April 8th @ 5:30 p.m.

Planetarium Activities at Wickware Planetarium

www.easternct.edu/ecs_u/map (#25)

NASA Mini-Rocket giveaway! NASA items displayed!

For Tickets call Zosia Carlquist 860.465.4317

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New England Air Museum

Space Expo
Sunday April 7th, 10 AM to 4:30 PM



- Activities include:
- Try on a real space suit!
 - Pilot a space craft simulator!
 - Touch a 70 pound meteorite!
 - Taste space food!
 - Learn about the geology of Mars!
 - Meet R2D2!
 - Design and build a rocket!
 - View the stars!

www.neam.org

Museum Admission

Adults \$12
Senior \$11
Child \$6.50 (ages 4-11)
3 and under free

Group pre-registration is available at the reduced rate of \$6.50 per person (3 and under free). Registration and payment must be made before April 1, 2013.

Regular admission rate applies the day of the event. To pre-register please visit www.neam.org to download a registration form .

More than 15 exhibitors from across New England will participate in the event

Featured guests include space explorers, scientists and engineers.

Former NASA Astronaut Jerry Ross will be on hand the entire day to present and speak with visitors about his experiences as a veteran of a record-setting 7 space shuttle launches.

